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## WEATHER

Generally cloudy tonight, Thursday; with snow higher; no change in temperature.

NUMBER 288

## RIGHTS OF WAY THREATEN TO ADD TO COST OF CITY SEWER PROJECT FRUIT ASSOCIATION MEMBERS CUT \$48,141 "PIE"

### CONDEMNATION MAY BE FILED

**City Attorney Reveals Some Property Owners Ask Fee For Line For New Main**

The cost of the city's projected new sewer improvement in Upper Placerville, upon which work is getting under way, threatens to be materially increased to the city as a result of rights-of-way demands made by certain property owners, City Attorney Thomas Maul revealed Wednesday.

"While the attitude of some of the property owners appears to be that they are glad to see the improvement and will gladly grant rights of way to make the improvement possible, some others are asking for as much as 25 cents a foot for rights-of-way across their properties," the City Attorney declared.

"I'm sure I don't know what we will do. We had hoped that the project which was finally made possible after so many years would be welcomed by the entire community."

Mr. Maul said that the matter of rights-of-way has been delayed just about as long as it can be delayed without interfering with the work under way and that unless some satisfactory settlement is reached immediately, it will be necessary to file con-

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### Alienations Suit Filed

**Lake Tahoe People Litigants In Action Transferred From Alameda Superior Court**

A \$50,000 suit charging alienation of affections, involving people assertedly residents near Stateline in Lake Valley, was filed in El Dorado County Superior Court Wednesday on a change of venue obtained at the request of the defendant.

The action was transferred from Alameda County.

Plaintiff in the suit is Lillian Robertson, who charges Amy Buckner, also known as Aimee Buckner, with alienating the affections of Walter R. Robertson, whom the plaintiff married at Helena, Montana, August 12, 1912.

The complaint charges that the Robertsons were divorced in Sonoma County March 26, 1935, but that their married life had been happy and harmonious until about August 16, 1932 when, it is charged, the defendant sought to prejudice Mr. Robertson's mind against the plaintiff and thereafter accompanied him to various towns in California and Nevada.

### JOHNSON LEAVES SCHOOL BOARD

**J. G. Leonardi Appointed By County Superintendent To Fill Unexpired Term**

J. R. Johnson, clerk of the Placerville Grammar School Board of Trustees, has resigned and J. G. Leonardi has been appointed to fill the balance of his term, which expires on July 1, 1939.

Announcement of Mr. Johnson's resignation was made Wednesday morning following the meeting of the school board on Tuesday evening.

Dr. Lester B. Rantz, of the board, has been appointed to take over Mr. Johnson's duties as clerk of the board.

Mrs. Clara Rupley is the board chairman.

In announcing Mr. Johnson's resignation, made necessary by his removal to Auburn where he will become division manager for the Pacific Gas & Electric Company on January 1, school officials expressed joy at his advancement and sincere regret at losing his services as a board member.

All paid high tribute to his conscientious devotion to the public welfare in carrying on the duties of the office, and to his special qualifications as an engineer as being of immeasurable assistance in the development of the improvement project now underway at the school.

### MISSOURI FLAT CENTER HEARS REPORT ON STATE MEETING

L. W. Veerkamp, state Farm Bureau director for this county reported on the recent meeting of the state Farm Bureau Federation at Tuesday night's meeting of the Missouri Flat Farm Center.

Farm Advisor Ivan Lilley discussed the fall spray program and several reels of motion pictures were shown.

A report by Roy Marks, chairman of the Community Hall project, showed that the project has been advanced to point where, by a day's work Sunday, the men of the community will be able to get the building entirely under roof and protected against the winter storms.

The last of the December series of center meetings will be that of the Kelsey center, on Friday night, at Kelsey.

August Ebbert was in town Wednesday morning from Newtown on mining matters.

### THOS. PATTON LEAVES RE-EMPLOYMENT POST

**State, Federal Employment Services Merging; To Move To Sumner Block Soon**

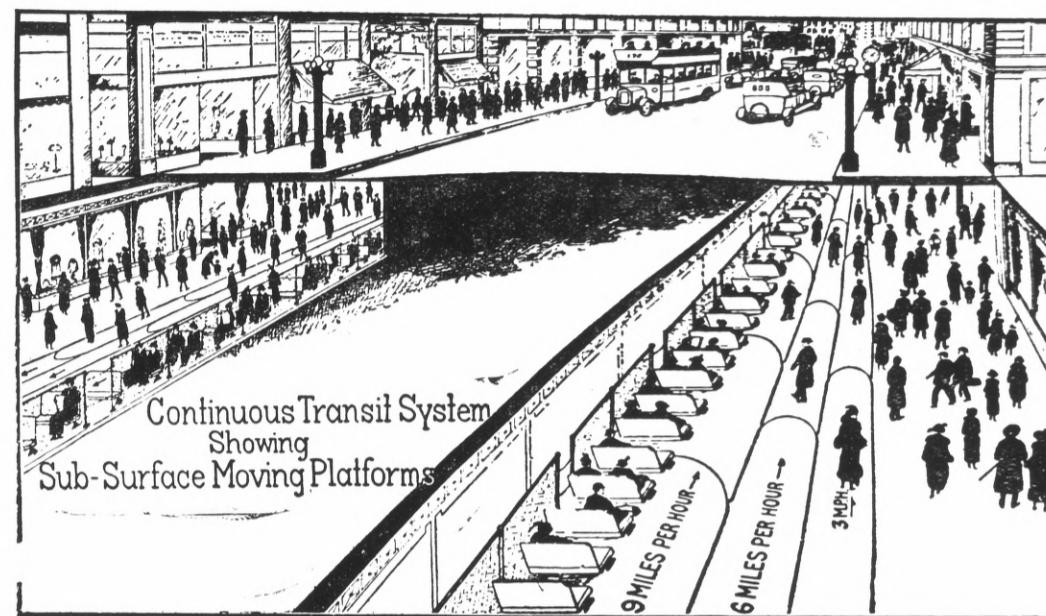
T. G. Patton, for the past four years and more the representative in Placerville of the National Re-Employment Service, leaves that office today.

Mr. Patton announced that he plans to devote his attention to his private business and may elaborate upon that announcement at some future time.

The facilities of the National Re-Employment Service and of the California State Employment Service are being combined and the office, at present in the basement quarters at the courthouse, is in charge of Mrs. Clara S. Gillespie, senior interviewer and Robert E. Dalzell, junior interviewer, who are civil service appointees in the California State Employment Service.

The offices, it is understood, will be moved in the near future to the second floor of the Sumner Building at the

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**REMEDY**—This plan is proposed to cure traffic ills in San Francisco and is being considered by the board of supervisors. The plan shows an underground horizontal escalator system, with parallel sections running at 3, 6 and 9 miles an hour. Riders stand on the first two. Cleve F. Shaffer, promoter, says it would clear Market Street of trolley cars.

### C. of C. Members Warned Against Solicitors

"If any solicitor implies in his conversation that he has obtained the approval of the Chamber of Commerce for the project for which he asks support, ask to see his written endorsement."

### HANGTOWN DUCK CLUB, NEAR GRIDLEY, WAS FLOODED BY 3-DAY STORM

**Water Reached Depth Of Two Feet In Clubhouse As Hunters Scrambled To Safety; Guns And Equipment Feared Damaged; Raffetto's Car Yields Water Snakes And Field Mice**

The Hangtown Duck Club's clubhouse and shooting grounds near Gridley did not escape a flooding in the storms of last Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

According to Lloyd A. Raffetto, who was at the shooting grounds with George E. Faugsted and Charles Molinari for the weekend, water reached a depth of two feet in the clubhouse

and covered the area from which the members shoot to a depth of as much as eight feet.

The flooding of the area was attributed to a break in a Sacramento River levee some distance above the duck club grounds.

Raffetto revealed that his car was all but swamped by the flood of Saturday night and Sunday morning and when the water went down to a point where he could get at the car about 11 o'clock Sunday morning, he opened the doors of the Chrysler sedan and water flushed out, along with an assortment of water snakes.

Just Tuesday, when the car was being overhauled in the garage, mechanics found two field mice and one more

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### Carpenters Form Local Union

**Frank Eskew President; 35 Charter Members Obligated At Opening Meeting**

A Placerville local union of carpenters was instituted recently when Don Cameron, Grand Representative of the Union, visited here from San Francisco.

The local, No. 1992, is a member of the Carpenters and Joiners of America, an A. F. of L. affiliate, and starts off with a charter enrollment of thirty-five.

Officers are Frank Eskew, president; Paul Smith, vice-president; C. T. Bryan, treasurer and financial secretary; Silvio E. Ronzone, recording secretary; Bill Stultz, warden; Philip Ronzone, conductor; and Chester Carter, Homer Beach and Fred Kelty, as trustees.

The officers were obligated by Mr. Cameron. A delegation of six was present from Sacramento and following the adoption of the local trade rules and the passing of certain routine business the local adjourned to meet again on Monday night, December 20.

### NATIVE SONS ANNOUNCE PLANS FOR NEW YEAR EVE DANCE

The annual New Year's eve dance of Placerville Parlor No. 9, Native Sons of the Golden West, will be held in Placerville at the I. O. O. F. hall.

"This will be on Friday night, December 31," declares A. J. Orelli, chairman of the committee on arrangements, "and just because I happen to be the county coroner, don't think we aren't going to have a live time."

Chairman Orelli is being assisted by Robert E. Roberts, Leo Ench, Harry S. Brown and Harold Duden in preparations for the occasion.

### Mooney Pardon May Be Asked

**Senate Sub-Committee On Judiciary Reported As Favoring Note To Merriam**

WASHINGTON, (UPI)—A senate judiciary subcommittee today indicated a favorable attitude toward a resolution memorializing the Governor of California to pardon Tom Mooney but expressed doubt that the man imprisoned for the San Francisco Preparedness Day bombing would be subpoenaed to testify.

The subcommittee heard Frank P. Walsh of New York, who said that Senate approval would probably result in Mooney's release; George T. Davis of San Francisco, who urged that the convicted labor leader be given an opportunity to appear before the committee; and John W. Jenkins, chairman of the Mooney defense committee, who charged that "corrupt" California politics had prevented a pardon for Mooney.

The committee indicated, however, that it would not subpoena Mooney to come here.

C. C. Herbert, forest road superintendent, returned Tuesday morning from the southern part of the state where he and Mrs. Herbert had been on vacation. Mrs. Herbert remained in Los Angeles in the hope of gaining the upper hand over an attack of arthritis.

### 370 SERVED AT ANNUAL DINNER

**Election Of Officers Taken Up During Afternoon; Report Of Manager Is Given**

Collecting checks aggregating \$48,141.30, representing withholdings from the 1931, 1932 and 1933 association and California Fruit Exchange earnings, the members of the Placerville Fruit Growers' Association convened Wednesday morning for their annual meeting at the El Dorado County Federated Church.

The meeting met under the gavel of President James A. Irving and the morning session was devoted principally to a review of the annual report of the association's fruit house management by H. B. Murphy, manager.

At noon a turkey dinner was served to three hundred seventy at the church building by women of the church under the supervision of Mrs. Martin Luther. Some of this number was an overflow which was seated at the dining room of the Ivy Hotel.

It was expected that the election of directors for the ensuing year would be a principal matter of business upon the convening of the afternoon session. Various leaders in the California Fruit Exchange, of which the P. F. G. A. is a member, were in attendance and

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### Travel Section "Visits" Dam

**Program Meeting Tuesday To See County Films; Choral Adjourns To January 4th**

Members and friends of the Travel Section of the Shakespeare club were treated to a very interesting and entertaining review Tuesday afternoon by Mrs. M. P. Bennett of her trip to Boulder Dam and the Grand Canyon and other points of interest in Southern Utah, New Mexico and Arizona.

Mrs. Bennett made the trip with her daughter and son-in-law, Major and Mrs. Evan Kelly, of Missoula, Montana. Major Kelly, formerly Supervisor on Eldorado Forest, is now and for several years past has been the Regional Forester for Region Four.

At the close of Mrs. Bennett's talk, she was assisted by her daughter, Mrs. Risser, in serving refreshments, the table being beautifully decorated in Christmas accessories and Yuletide greetings.

The regular Program Day of the club will be Tuesday, December 21, with Mrs. Robert Carpenter as chairman and an hour of entertainment will feature motion pictures of El Dorado County scenes in recreation and industries.

Members of the club are reminded of the plan to contribute at this meeting articles which will be suitable for Christmas baskets, which will be distributed in Placerville at the holiday season.

The choral section of the club is in adjournment until January 4 when further study will be resumed.

### Traffic Officer Hurt In Fall On Tuesday

Officer Vladimir Sabich, of the state highway patrol, will be off duty for a day or so following a mishap Tuesday evening near the Mayhew place on the state highway east of Clarksville. According to Captain E. A. Brewster, Sabich skidded on a wet turn on his motorcycle and was fortunate to escape with cuts and bruises. His cycle was rather badly done up.



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Shopping Days  
UNTIL  
Xmas

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## THE ROAD BACK



## PARADE OF SPORTS

By HENRY MCLEMORE  
United Press Staff Writer

HOLLYWOOD, (IP)—If all the dark glasses worn in Hollywood were placed end to end they would make quite a spectacle, and I trust this pun won't discourage you from reading further because I intend to make the rest of this article noble and enlightening.

When you first come to Hollywood you get the impression that it is a town entirely made up of (1) persons who momentarily expect the sun to go into its complete eclipse, (2) retired baseball players who have weak eyes from playing the sunfield, or (3) persons whose eyes got the worst of it in a fight.

This is because everybody wears dark glasses. Beautiful blondes and bewhiskered beggars wear them. So do clubmen and Chinamen, tycoons and touts, debutantes and dressmakers. Even the babies wear them, and give you quite a shock when they peek from out the folds of their perambulators with their infant-sized horn rims.

I figured at first that the famed California sun must be the cause of so many dark glasses. But this theory was exploded by the first rainy day. The citizens continued to wear them, even in a downpour, when the sun was hidden by clouds as dark as Jesse James' grammar school deportment record.

Being afraid of getting arrested for indecent exposure, I bought a pair of glasses. It took me the better part of a week to get accustomed to them. In the first place, I have always been frightened by the dark, and my lenses were so black they could only have been ground from two old aces of spades.

I bought a flashlight and a walking stick and was able to get around fairly nicely by the third day. As soon as I was able to navigate the streets I launched an investigation (by cracking a bottle of champagne over its bow) into why I and everyone else was groping around in dark glasses.

I got nowhere until I was put in touch with a shrewd old Tasmanian, Rufus Hightower, president of the illusion optical company, a big firm with branches in nearly every tree in this country. Clarence, as Rufus Hightower insisted I call him after the sixth drink, solved for me the "mystery of the dark glasses" as it is referred to in Scotland Yard and the Paris Surete.

"Years ago, when Hollywood was only slightly colossal," Hightower explained in his pure Castilian Tasmanian, "there was an actor who came into town to buy some platinum bath tub stoppers and a gobelin tapestry for a shower curtain. Afraid that not everyone would recognize him, he put on a pair of dark glasses to call attention to himself. It worked like a charm, and he was torn to bits by autograph seekers, which is the ultimate goal of every star. Soon all the other stars put on dark glasses when they came into

## Recorder's Filings

December 13, 1937

Agreement, E. M. Pletz, a widow with Lincoln Engineering Co., Ltd.

Articles of limited partnership, by C. S. C. Mining Company.

Subordination agreement, Pacific Fruit Exchange, to California Joint Stock Land Bank of San Francisco.

Agreement, Fannie M. Keller, with Jep T. Miles and Elvira A. Miles, as joint tenants.

Chattel mortgage, Epley Mining Co., to A. J. Rupley.

Reconveyance, Corporation of America, trustees to persons entitled.

Deed, H. R. Pollock and Anna M. Pollock, his wife, to C. K. Cox and Mary C. Cox, his wife, as joint tenants.

Redemption, State of California to to Inter County Title Co., assessed to Warren L. Eichner, et ux.

Redemption, State of California to Inter County Title Co., assessed to Henry Reedy.

Redemption, State of California to Inter County Title Co., assessed to Leontine Wallace.

Bill of sale, Dee Smith to Edgar P. Cool and James Wallin.

Satisfaction of mortgage, W. T. James, to George W. Smith.

Deed, Elizabeth Blue Givson to Fred G. Scott and Opal Scott, husband and wife.

Deed, Southern Pacific Land Company, a corporation, to William George Pottage and Leonie Catherine Put-

town to shop for knick-knacks. Everyone mobbed them and they were very happy.

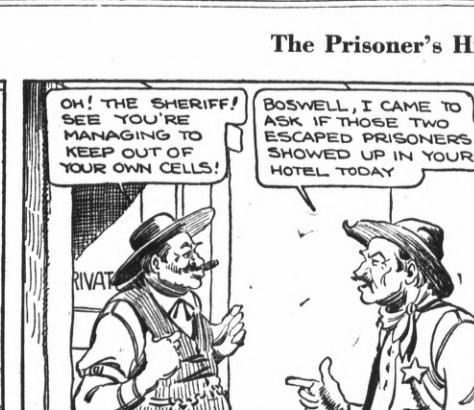
"But soon the public ruined this little trick of the stars. It wasn't long before everyone, wanting to be mistaken for a movie star, started wearing the dark glasses. All was turmoil here for a while and wasn't straightened out until the city council brought in a lot of "halts" to lead the temporarily blind about until they grew accustomed to seeing through a glass darkly.

"Dark glass companies sprang up like toadstools, and many citizens, mistaking them for mushrooms, ate them and were poisoned."

Mr. Hightower and I looked at one another through our dark glasses and sighed at the foolishness of it all.

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## Rights Of Way Impede Sewer

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demands proceedings probably by Thursday.

It was revealed that Mr. and Mrs. Brewster and Mrs. Marr, who operate auto camp grounds near the easterly city limits, have welcomed the improvement and have given rights of way.

Mr. Lera, also a property owner along the proposed improvement, has granted rights of way.

The city attorney indicated that other property owners are asking as much as twenty-five cents per foot for rights of way.

"This is a city improvement and anything, such as right of way fees, which add to the cost, are a burden upon the city as a whole," Mr. Maul said.

"I am still hopeful that we can save the city this money. Certainly the piped sewer line is better than an open ditch and an improvement not only to the property adjoining the creek, but to the property of the entire vicinity."

Mr. Maul said the problem is centered in Upper Placerville and concerns only that section of the improvement from Washington street to the easterly city limits.

## Patton Leaves NRS Office

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corner of Main and Coloma streets, occupying a suite of five rooms and subsequently concern itself with applications for unemployment insurance under the Social Security Act, in addition to the employment problem.

Mr. Patton entered the re-employment service on October 3, 1933, and for more than four years has been in charge of the office.

During that time he has spent every effort to conduct the office for the welfare of the unemployed and of the community and by his contact with employers has added materially to the pay-roll flowing into the community, obtaining work for men of El Dorado County which might, otherwise, have gone to men from other communities.

His assistance in expediting various work projects about the county is acknowledged by those who have known the details of the matters involved and as one instance in which Mr. Patton went out of his way to cooperate with and further a local project, may be mentioned the building of the new schoolhouse at Smith Flat.

### Smile, Don't Kiss! And Avoid A Cold

DALLAS, Tex., (IP)—Dr. J. W. Bass, city health officer, was asked for advice in stemming an epidemic of colds. "Cut out kissing and shaking hands," he said. "Both spread germs."

He suggested that people smile when they meet, and let it go at that.

City Traffic Officer D. W. LeBourneau returned to duties Wednesday after a short siege with a severe cold.

### BACK HOME AGAIN

WHY YOU YALLER-LIVERED POLE CAT, DO YOU KNOW WHO YOU AIR A-TAWKIN' TO? TO HOOT SLATFIELD TH' DADDY RABBIT O'THES HEAH DIGGIN' AN' THE WILDEST DADBLAME OL' HE-WOLF THET. EVAH HOWLED A HOWL!

PHONE IS -1776

CLEVELAND.—Smart Collier, recalling he felt "very patriotic" when he mentioned it in his telephone number, L-1776, in a newspaper oddity contest.

J. G. Bardin, Marion County, has twenty-five acres of approved Herbarium which he sold for seed.



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**NORSE GIRL**—Talented winter sports athletes of nine nations will appear at the Winter Sports Show at Madison Square Garden, New York. Among the arrivals from Norway is 17-year-old Ella Gulbrandsen, above, who outclassed boy rivals in several scholastic ski meets abroad. In Norway, she said, every able-bodied citizen knew how to ski. She is one of two girls from Norway.

### ODD LIQUOR COLLECTION IS HOBBY OF WHO DOESN'T

DALLAS, Tex., (IP)—Now comes the story of a collector who has never taken a drink of liquor and who has a hobby of collecting liquors from all over the world.

Miss Harriett of Dallas has a collection that ranges from the Ng Ka Chinese to the French and the Horse's Neck American.

Sample bottles come from almost every country in the world where liquor is made. Holland came the brown glass shaped like dogs, birds, elephants! Other animals, filled with many colored liquors of every description. There is not a country missing, nor a liquor.

"Some of the bottles are 100 years old," Miss Buckspan said. "Of course, I wouldn't think of drinking one of the bottles."

ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI AND HIS BROTHERS TOOK UP THE SINGING IN PUBLIC OF CAROLS AT CHRISTMAS TO COMBAT THE UNBELIEF OF THEIR TIME. WITH LIGHTED TAPERS THEY WENT ABOUT THE STREETS OF THE SMALL ITALIAN VILLAGE POURING OUT THEIR HEARTS IN SONGS OF PRAISE. IN THE 800 YEARS SINCE THEN THE SINGING OF CHRISTMAS CAROLS HAS GONE AROUND THE WORLD. WHEREVER CHRISTIANITY IS KNOWN CAROL SINGING FOLLOWS.

THE SIMPLE VISION OF A MOTHER LULLING HER BABE TO SLEEP GIVES CHRISTMAS MUSIC ITS STRENGTH. SOME SING AS A TRIBUTE TO THEIR RELIGIOUS FAITH, OTHERS AS A CUSTOM THEY ENJOY. BUT WHETHER THE REASON, THE IMPORTANT THING IS THAT MORE AND MORE PEOPLE DO IT. FROM SUCH WIDELY DIFFERENT SOURCES AS CHURCHES, THEATERS, SCHOOLS, CLUBS, RADIO STATIONS, COME THE WORDS OF "AWAY IN A MANGER," "SILENT NIGHT," "JOY TO THE WORLD," "LITTLE TOWN OF BETHLEHEM," "HARK THE HERALD ANGELS SING," AND "COME ALL YE FAITHFUL," SUNG BY SOLOISTS, CHOIRS, CHORUSES OR THE VOICES OF SCHOOL CHILDREN. SO EACH YEAR NEW JOY IS EXPRESSED THROUGH OLD CHANNELS. —FRANCES GRINSTEAD.

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KFBK—Santa Claus; 5:15 Land of What Is; 6:30 Cinnamon Bear; 5:45 Agri-Care.  
KSFO—Announced; 5:30 Casino; 5:45 Easy Aces.

KPO—The Man's Family; 5:00 Musical Review.

KGO—Concert; 5:15 Liedersingers; 5:30 Announced.

6 to 7 p.m.

KFBK—7:30 Thrills.

KSFO—Andre Kostelanetz; 6:30 Leaves in the Wind; 6:45 Tom Lieb.

KPO—Announced; 6:15 California on Parade; 6:30 see KFBK.

KGO—March of Time; 6:30 Musicals; 6:45 Green Grovers.

7 to 8 p.m.

KFRK—Dick Powell.

KSFO—Gang Busters; 7:30 Hobby Lobby.

KPO—KFBK; 7:45 Alistar Cooke.

KGO—NBC Nite club.

8 to 9 p.m.

KFBK—Amon 'n' Andy; 8:15 Uncle Ezra; 8:30 Olsen and Johnson.

KSFO—Scattergood Baines; 8:15 Bebe Carter; 8:30 Eddie Cantor.

KPO—See KFBK; 8:15 Uncle Ezra; 8:30 See KFBK.

KGO—Land of What Is; 8:15 Reviews; 8:30 Darrell Donnell; 8:45 Dr. Kate.

9 to 10 p.m.

KFBK—Nat Shilkret; 9:15 Glenn Miller; 9:30 Chick Webb.

KSFO—Cavalcade; 9:30 Henry King; 9:45 Jimmy Valentine.

KPO—Town Hall Tonite.

KGO—9:15 on the Mall; 9:30 Yanwood Van; 9:45 University Explorer.

10 to 11 p.m.

KFBK—Christmas Tree; 10:30 Jimmie Greer.

KSFO—News; 10:15 Your Witness.

KPO—News; 10:15 Betty Kelly; 10:30 Frank Castle.

KGO—Ellis Kimball; 10:30 Leon Macija.

11 to 12 midnight

KFBK—Paul Carson.

KSFO—Tommy Tucker; 11:15 Ted Fio Rito; 11:30 Red Norvo; 11:45 Eternally Young.

KPO—Rudy Vallee; 11:30 Archie Love-Land.

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**HATION AT LAST HAS FOUND GOOD 5-CENT CIGAR**

WASHINGTON, (IP)—Americans have found a good 5-cent cigar—or at least one they like at that price.

Since 1929 the sale of 5-cent cigars has increased while the sale of the higher priced brands has decreased.

The retail value of all 5-cent cigars exceeded the combined value of all higher priced brands.

Cigar smoking apparently is a sign of prosperity. Sale of cigars reached a peak in 1929 and fell 35 per cent during the depression. During the past two years cigar making has again increased to 1929 levels.

Pipe smoking increased some during the depression. Sale of chewing tobacco and snuff declined. The sale of cigarettes remained fairly steady and has increased at the rate of 10 per cent a year in the past three years.

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PIPE SMOKING INCREASED SOME DURING THE DEPRESSION. SALE OF CHEWING TOBACCO AND SNUFF DECLINED. THE SALE OF CIGARETTES REMAINED FAIRLY STEADY AND HAS INCREASED AT THE RATE OF 10 PER CENT A YEAR IN THE PAST THREE YEARS.

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### Georgetown Man Jailed As Peace Disturber

Earl Ghidden, 44, a lumber worker, was brought over from Georgetown Tuesday night by Constable Gilbert Cook and lodged in the county jail to face a charge of disturbing the peace. He will have a hearing before Justice of the Peace William Steele, at Georgetown.

#### 409-FOOT STACK

MARION, O. (P)—A 409-foot smoke stack, reputedly the tallest of its kind east of the Mississippi River, has been put into operation at a Marion power plant.

Mrs. Thomas Ward was a visitor on Wednesday at Sacramento.

#### ODD FELLOWS NOTICE

There will be a special meeting of Morning Star Lodge No. 20, on Friday night, Dec. 17th, 1937, at 7:30 at I.O.O.F. Hall.

ARTHUR A. MART. Noble Grand.

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### Santa Warns That Christmas Will Soon Be Here



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#### EVERY IRANIAN MUST LEARN TO SPEAK NATIVE TONGUE

TEHERAN (P)—Parliament has passed a new act whereby every Iranian must learn to read and write his mother tongue. Secondly, all other languages will be removed from public view.

Formerly, all sign-posts, hotel names and posters were written in Russian, French, English, German or Armenian, as well as Iranian. Now even visiting cards must be printed in Iranian only.

Moreover, the new regulations state that all administrative offices, banks and other business houses must keep their correspondence and accounts in Iranian. Employees who cannot do the work in the native tongue must resign.

#### Trailer Hospitals For Australia Planned

HOBART, Tasmania. (P)—While auto trailers are used largely for pleasure in the United States, the Australian government is planning to put them to a far more utilitarian end here.

Present plans call for the inauguration of a whole system of trailer hospitals and caravans. They will call on all schools, all small towns in the islands, outlying districts and even among the bushmen for the performance of minor surgical operations, maternity cases, and hospital uses generally. They also will have dental equipment.

"In addition to the money which you have received to date," the report continues, "there is, in the California Fruit Exchange Withholdings Repayable Account, the sum of \$58,583.87 representing the savings in costs of sales for the years 1934-'35 and 1936. In addition to this, will be the savings in costs of sales for the year 1937 and also the interest in Reserve Accounts of the C. F. E."

"There is, in addition to the foregoing, the Association's Withholdings Repayable Account in the sum of \$131,703.11 which represents savings in the costs of operations covering the years 1933 to 1937 inclusive, in addition to which there are reserve accounts amounting to \$119,631.67."

The association during the past year handled the largest crop in its history, the report reveals, consisting of the following: 622,698 standard packed boxes of pears; 102,498 packages of peaches and plums; 340 tons of shipping quality pears shipped to cannery; and 2,018 tons of cull Bartlett pears which were either sold locally or shipped to cannery.

In addition, the association handled quite a quantity of apples and approximately 55 tons of grapes.

"This year's crop exceeded the capacity of the facilities of the association and required the employment of the greatest number of people in any previous year. During the peak, there were approximately 675 employees," the report reveals.

It's a flimsy excuse, that frequent wail, "I didn't see the light." The privilege of driving an auto should carry with it the responsibility for a high degree of alertness. After all, it's easy to see and recognize a traffic light. Usually it is just about where you expect to find it—where you actually look for it. There isn't much excuse for missing it now is there? Remember that traffic signals are for your protection. Play the traffic game according to the rules.

Oliver Stearns, of Eldorado Forest headquarters staff, is at Santa Ana to spend Christmas with his parents.

### A VISIT TO SANTA CLAUS



#### Just Two Little Children

### Hangtown Duck Club Flooded

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water snake, he said.

The three were awakened early Sunday morning by water lapping at the sides of the clubhouse and their biggest difficulty was in getting the row boats free, since the water had flooded in and covered up the stakes to which the boats were tied.

However, they gained the boats and reached a levee where, it is reported, some wild fowl and some animal life also had taken refuge along with other human beings, the group being in the same vicinity as was the party of which Frank Globin was a member.

The humans did not object to the wild fowl but some of the other wild life on the levee included an assortment of little black animals with white stripes down their backs, and whether to kill them or not to kill them was an important question of the moment.

It is understood that the execution plans were abandoned when it was decided that there was some question as to how long it takes a skunk to die after it has been shot.

Rescue parties cleared the levee about mid-morning Sunday and Rafetto was able to get to his car.

Water depth in the clubhouse reached a maximum of two feet and it is feared that the guns and equipment of members, presumably stored in lockers during the hunting season, suffered some damage.

#### NEW HORSE SHOW ARENA AT FAIR MAY BE WPA PROJECT

SACRAMENTO, (P)—Robert Muckler, secretary-manager of the California State Fair, returned from an eastern trip optimistic over the state's chances of obtaining \$800,000 in federal funds to construct a new fair grounds horse show arena.

Muckler conferred in Washington, D.C., with WPA officials on the possibility of adding the arena to a \$1,200,000 construction program already approved.

EASTPORT, Me., (P)—This city of 4,000 population has neither a Smith nor a Jones listed in its telephone directory.

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